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#### RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Atlanta, Georgia 30308-2216

Sir:

The Office Action from mailed on June 30, 2004 has been received and reviewed. Reconsideration and allowance of the application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

### **AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is believed that no extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 20-0778.